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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application filed herewith, please enter the following preliminary amendment (marked-up copy attached):

IN THE CLAIMS

55. (Amended) The method of claim 45 wherein each information packet is further associated to a message terms key map, said message key map comprising of a plurality of message characteristic entry associated to a matching extracted term being extracted from the information packet, said message characteristic entry comprising of at least one of the following fields selected from a group consisting of:

a term inverted file, for pointing to the matching extracted term information;

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